



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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Ex of Time  
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**Petition for Extension of Time**

Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

Applicant received an office action with a mailing date of March 12, 2002. Applicant hereby petitions for a one (1) month extension of time in which to file a response. A check for the fee (small entity) is enclosed. This extends the time through July 12, 2002.

Respectfully submitted this 24th day of June, 2002.

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